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## Banks.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$7,500,000  
RESERVE FUND, \$4,400,000  
RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION, \$400,000  
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RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS, \$7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS.  
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## NOTICE.

ON Current Deposit—Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
For Fixed Deposits—  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "  
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LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.  
Drafts granted on London and the chief Continental places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 25, 1884. 1423

NOTICE.  
RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.  
1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong, Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1.  
2.—The Assets of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will form a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above Bank.  
3.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$500, at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year.  
4.—Deposits may be on behalf of relations, of trusts, &c., in addition to the depositor's own account.  
5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or at the Post Office. When the form is presented with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited one dollar.  
6.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.  
7.—Deposits may be forwarded from the Ports by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any value.  
8.—Interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.  
9.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.  
10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank will, if marked "On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business," be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Fees by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.  
11.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.  
12.—All documents connected with the business of the Savings' Bank are exempt from stamp duty.  
For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, April 25, 1884. 715

WITH Reference to the above, BUSINESS will be commenced on the 1st May, 1885.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, April 25, 1884. 715

## Bank.

### THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

(Incorporated in London on 18th July, 1884, under the Companies Acts 1862, to 1883.)

LONDON BANKERS:  
UNION BANK OF LONDON, Ltd.  
BANK OF SCOTLAND, LONDON.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.  
At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per annum.  
" 6 " " 4 " "  
" 12 " " 5 " "  
Current Accounts kept on Terms, which may be learnt on application.  
H. A. HERBERT, Manager.  
Hongkong, September 15, 1884. 1556

## Notice of Firm.

MR. R. H. DALTON SAYLE was admitted a PARTNER in my Business the 1st Instant, and the Name of the Firm in future will be "W. R. LOXLEY & Co."  
W. R. LOXLEY.  
Hongkong, January 13, 1885. 76

## Intimations.

### HONGKONG RACES.

"OFF-DAY," SATURDAY, 28th February, 1885.

HACK RACE, for a CUP presented by THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB, open to Ponies that have not been entered at this Meeting, to be ridden by Residents of Hongkong, Members of the Jockey Club, who have never won a race in Hongkong or China prior to this Meeting; Catch-weights over 11st.; Distance One Mile; the ENTRANCE FEES (\$3 EACH) to run to the Second Pony.  
ENTRIES CLOSE to the Clerk of the Course, on WEDNESDAY, the 18th Inst.  
H. J. H. TRIPP, Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong, February 11, 1885. 245

### HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Fourth Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, at 12 o'clock, noon, on FRIDAY, the 20th February, 1885, to receive a Statement of Accounts of the Company to the 31st December, 1884, and the Report of the General Managers, also to discuss any matters that may be competently brought before the Meeting.  
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 20th Instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.  
Hongkong, February 2, 1885. 192

## DENTISTRY.

### FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG, Surgeon Dentist, (FORMERLY ANTIQUE APPRENTICE AND LATELY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.)  
At the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS,  
No. 1, DUDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.  
Perfect adjustment of ARTIFICIAL TEETH by Atmospheric Suction without pain or inconvenience. Discount to missionaries and families.  
Sole Address,  
1, DUDELL STREET, (Next to the New Oriental Bank.)  
Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 66

D. K. GRIFFITH & Co. MANUFACTURERS OF THE LONDON AERATED WATER.  
Have Removed from the BEACONSFIELD ARCADE to larger Premises  
1, DUDELL STREET,  
Where they continue to Supply:  
SODA WATER, LEMONADE, GINGERBREAD, RASPBERRYADE, &c., &c., &c.  
At the same Moderate Charges.  
D. K. GRIFFITH, Proprietor.  
Hongkong, July 28, 1884. 1246

### ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.

ALL HOLDERS OF NOTES OF THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION (HONGKONG BRANCH), are hereby requested to present them to the Liquidators of the Bank, when they will be given in Exchange, a certificate of the value of the Notes deposited.  
HOLDERS OF NOTES will be required to furnish to the Liquidators of the Bank, a schedule in duplicate, giving the date of Issue, Number and Amount of each Note produced.  
Forms of Schedule may be had on application at the OFFICE of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, Queen's Road, Hongkong.  
For the OFFICIAL LIQUIDATORS OF THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,  
BY HIS ATTORNEYS,  
J. MEVILL & MASON,  
H. HOWARD TAYLOR.  
Hongkong, August 2, 1884. 1236

## For Sale.

### JUST LANDED.

EX 'GLENLEARN.'

### OUR NEW MAKE

OF

## ENGLISH BOOTS AND SHOES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, January 24, 1885. 130

### W. POWELL & Co.

TABLE LINENS. SHEETINGS, COUNTERPANES. TOWELS, and Bath Blankets. New POINTEAU PRINTS. Ladies' UNDERCLOTHING. Scarf and Coloured Felt Hats. Do. WATERPROOF COATS. Do. Courier, Hand and Gladstone Bags. Do. SHIRTS and COLLARS. Do. HOSIERY of all kinds. Do. RACE DRAWERS. Do. RACE SCARFS all Colours.  
An Assortment of FANCY BEANS. Ladies' Black Silk Gloves. New POINTEAU PRINTS. Ladies' UNDERCLOTHING. Scarf and Coloured Felt Hats. Do. WATERPROOF COATS. Do. Courier, Hand and Gladstone Bags. Do. SHIRTS and COLLARS. Do. HOSIERY of all kinds. Do. RACE DRAWERS. Do. RACE SCARFS all Colours.  
Hongkong, February 7, 1885. 218

## ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters, QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

### HATS. CLOTHING. SHIRTS.

A large assortment of Christy's Felt Hats, always in Stock in all the newest styles.  
Having completed our arrangements we can now make to order White Dress Shirts, equal to home manufacture.

HOSIERY, SCARFS, TIES, HANDKERCHIEFS, BOOTS AND SHOES.  
Hongkong, January 6, 1885. 33

### Intimations.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
THE Sixteenth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 45, Queen's Road, Victoria, at THREE o'clock in the afternoon of TUESDAY, the 24th February instant, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts, and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1884.  
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th Instant, both days inclusive.  
By Order,  
JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary.  
Hongkong, February 4, 1885. 201

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on TUESDAY, the 24th February, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1884.  
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, the 10th, to TUESDAY, the 24th February, both days inclusive.  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES, Secretary.  
Hongkong, January 28, 1885. 173

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.  
NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 28th day of February current, at 11.30 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1884.  
By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, February 5, 1885. 209

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By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, February 5, 1885. 210

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, February 5, 1885. 210

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, February 5, 1885. 210

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, February 5, 1885. 210

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Hongkong, February 5, 1885. 210

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By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, February 5, 1885. 210

## Entertainment.

### THE GAIETY COMPANY.

Sole Proprietor, — GEO. NORVILLE.

FROM THE THEATRE ROYAL, CALCUTTA; and THE GAIETY THEATRE, BOMBAY.

Patrons: T. R. H. THE DUKE AND DUCHESS, of Cambridge, His Excellency THE MARQUESS OF RIPON, His Excellency SIR JAMES FERGUSON, &c., &c.  
WILL IF POSSIBLE GIVE TWO PERFORMANCES, current for Shanghai.

THE FIRST PERFORMANCE, will be presented GILBERT'S CLASSICAL COMEDY, entitled PYGMALION & GALATEA.

AT THE SECOND PERFORMANCE, will be presented A HUSBAND IN CLOVER, And the ORIENTAL BUREAU OF BROWN & THE BRAHMS.

Full Particulars will be duly announced on the arrival of the Company.  
The Plan of the Theatre may be seen and Seats secured at Messrs KELLY & WALSH'S, Hongkong, December 11, 1884. 2076

## Intimations.

### HONGKONG FLOWER SHOW.

THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION will be held in the BOTANIC GARDEN TO-DAY and TO-MORROW, the 12th and 13th February, 1885.  
All Exhibitors must be entered not later than the 10th Instant; and PLANTS in Pots should be sent on the 11th Instant.  
Admission:—First Day, \$1; Second Day, 20 Cents.  
Tickets for the First Day may be obtained from Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Schedules of Prices can be obtained from CHARLES FORD, Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, February 12, 1885. 188

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
THE Sixteenth Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road, at 12 o'clock, noon of SATURDAY, the 28th February instant, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1884, the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.  
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 28th day of February instant, both days inclusive.  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. Hongkong, February 5, 1885. 207

SING KEE & Co., SHIP COMPROMISERS, STEVEDORES, AND GENERAL STOREKEEPERS, KEEP ON HAND AND FOR SALE, well assorted CHINA'S STORES, AND COAL OF ALL KINDS. Shipping supplied at the Shortest Notice with all kinds of BALLAST and FREIGHT PROVISIONS, at moderate charges.  
No. 3, POTTINGER STREET, HONGKONG.  
Hongkong, January 16, 1885. 91

WILLIAM DOLAN, SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER, 22, PRAYA CENTRAL.  
MANTON DUCKS, HEMP CANYAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, COCK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.  
Hongkong, May 1, 1882. 256

Thirteenth Volume of the 'CHINA REVIEW.' Now Ready. No. 3.—Vol. XIII.—OF THE—'CHINA REVIEW' CONTAINS—  
The Six Great Chancellors of Tein. The Ningpo District. A Sketch of Formosa. The Life of Koxinga. Notices of New Books. Notes and Queries.  
The First King of Corea. Zinc Mines in Yunnan. Official Barbarities. Consumption of Salt Silk for the Imperial Household. Tungusian Tribes. The Chinese of Fijian. The Lac of China. Precedence. Designation of Buddhist Temples. Kwangtung v. Canton. Locchoo. Chinese Cash. The Tere Aracosa. Bacteria and Pathria. Errata. A Chinese rendering for 'Fathom.' Replies to some Queries and Suggestions. Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c. To Contributors.  
Hongkong, February 5, 1885.

NOTICE.  
THE MITSU BISHI MAIL S.S. Co. having taken over the NAGASAKI DOCK, SLIP, and ENGINEERING WORKS, are now prepared to DOCK and REPAIR YACHTS, at moderate terms.  
The DOCK is one of the largest and best in the East, being 451 feet long and 89 feet broad, and having a depth of water on blocks at spring tides of 27 feet and nearly 22 feet.  
The SHOPS contain Machine-tools of all descriptions and compound Engines up to 1,000 horse-power. The heaviest class of work can be undertaken at the shortest notice.  
Powerful lifting SHEARS are being erected.  
For further Particulars, apply to H. J. H. TRIPP, Agent.  
Hongkong, December 13, 1884. 2135

## To Let.

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COLLEGE CHAMBERS' (late HOTEL DE L'UNIVERSITE), Single Rooms or SUITES of APARTMENTS, Nos. 4 and 18, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, No. 258, PRAYA CENTRAL, No. 44, GRAHAM STREET.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, December 24, 1884. 2165

TO BE LET. THE BASEMENT FLOOR, GODOWN and OFFICE ROOM, of No. 8, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, either Whole or Separately. Apply to CHUN YUEN, No. 152, Wing Lok Street. Hongkong, January 20, 1885. 155

STORAGE. GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE in Commodious and well ventilated GODOWNS on his New Premises in DUNDRELL STREET, next to the ORIENTAL BANK. G. R. LAMBERT. Hongkong, December 27, 1884. 2178

TO LET. THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 32, GARY ROAD. Possession from 1st January, 1885. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 23, 1884. 2164

TO BE LET. THE VICTORIA EXCHANGE, suitable for a Large Store, for SHOWS, WAREHOUSES or MERCHANTS' OFFICES; with or without GODOWNS and DWELLING HOUSES; or the Premises can be subdivided to suit TENANTS. Apply to A. S. WATSON & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1885. 243

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. 'Wingang' having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 7, 1885. 217

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship 'Japan' having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.  
Cargo impeding discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
Consignees are hereby informed that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 13th Instant.  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, February 7, 1885. 221

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

FOR SWATOW AND AMOY. The Steamship 'Bory', Capt. MARDEN, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 13th Instant, at Daylight.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1885. 241

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW AND AMOY. The Co's Steamship 'Namo', Capt. PITMAN, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 13th Instant, at Daylight.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 11, 1885. 214

FOR YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI. The Steamship 'Benary', Capt. MACKENZIE, will leave for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 13th Instant, at Noon.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 9, 1885. 230

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship 'Glenyon', Capt. MACKENZIE, will be despatched at above time or about the 17th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1885. 237

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA (DIRECT.) The Co's Steamship 'Diamond', Capt. STACE, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 13th Inst., at 5 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 10, 1885. 238

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Steamship 'Japan', Capt. T. S. GARDNER, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 18th Instant, at 3 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, February 9, 1885. 234

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Steamship 'Wingang', Capt. T. S. CROIX, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 18th Instant, at 3 p.m.  
This Steamer has superior First-class Passenger Accommodation specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 9, 1885. 228

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. (Taking Cargo at through rates for NEW YORK.) The Steamship 'Breconshire', Capt. RICHARD, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 18th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, February 9, 1885. 236

STEAM TO NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co's Steamship 'Thetis' will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, 20th February, at Daylight.  
A. McIVER, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co's Office, Hongkong, February 9, 1885. 233

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, &c. The Steamship 'Anzura', Capt. ANZURA, will be despatched for the above mentioned Ports on SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, at 4 p.m.  
This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, upon the upper deck.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, February 9, 1885. 232

Sailing Vessels. FOR PORTLAND (OREGON.) The American Barque 'Coloma', C. M. NOYES, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick dispatch.  
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FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A.1 British Ship 'Western Monarch', ENRIKHSEN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick dispatch.  
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The distribution of awards and prizes wound up the military spectacle, and after partaking of a few refreshments with some of the high officers in the Victoria Pavilion, I went to the theatre to see some of the

I was glad to escape into Taw, pouring, rain in my chair and to transform the scene of my action to the yamen of the German Officers, where at a sumptuous tiffin we drank health and prosperity to the Imperial Troops.

PING.

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### THE FRENCH IN FORMOSA.

The following despatch, from the Tao-tai of Tai-wan to the foreign Consul, has been handed to the N.-C. D. News for publication:—

I, Liu, holding the brevet rank of Provincial Treasurer, wearing a button of the second rank, Intendant of the Circuit for Formosa, and the Pescadores, with the powers of Chief Examiner of the Province, endowed with the rank of Ba-tsu-li, with 100 degrees, and having been recorded ten times for meritorious services, make the following communication. The French,

blockading the ports of Formosa on paper, especially hindering commerce. I have already made a petition to the high authorities of the Empire to prevent such action going into effect, but, for the sake of maintaining peace-of-war for patrolling the seas and having no settled places of anchorage, it cannot be considered a blockade; also in blockading an enemy's ports ineffectually such blockade is null and void, etc., etc. Now in the present case the French have no right to station ships-of-war either keeping guard or anchoring by the ports of Amoy and Kien Hou in Southern Formosa for over ten days, since the 29th of the 10th (10th) Chinese Calendar, 10th of December, English Calendar, 1900. Now the French have no right to station ships-of-war in the waters of Formosa, and how can they claim to have carried on their blockade effectively? Why should the French, not obeying the dictates of International Law, proclaim to the world that they have raised the blockade? Whereas, if they do not do this, they are not practising despotism upon the neutral Powers. Besides, International Law, far from objecting to making a blockade, seems rather to sanction it; for the express purpose that a State, being blockaded, seeks its own danger, and thus ending with its ruin, will be willing to make peace, thereby preventing parties entering into war recklessly. The intentions I have denoted by such principles are profoundly beneficial. Now the French, though holding Northern Formosa, have several times

Though they have established a blockade, all the inhabitants and soldiers in Formosa are living in quiet as usual, and are not making any complaint in reference to the blockade at all. Let it be asked, on what grounds are the French blockading this island? They certainly cannot conceal their (unlawful) aim from the sight and ears of the world, and it is evident that they injure the interests of the merchants of the various nations. Since, according to International Law, such a blockade should be considered as illegal, it is not to be allowed to carry on their trade. Undoubtedly it is plainly proclaimed to all, that it is to be feared that merchant ships of the various nations will be seized and the interior may still imagine that there is a blockade and hesitate to sail in the seas (about this island), whereby the merchants of the Treaty Powers having access to the Chinese market will be at a disadvantage. The French blockade is, by no means injurious to the Chinese Government in its warlike operations, but is greatly

sake of commercial interests in general  
 does not be silent in this matter. Besides  
 reporting to superiors and writing to offi-  
 cials of equal rank, I communicate this to  
 the Honourable Councils for consideration.  
 Your Honour will please peruse and trans-  
 mit by the above contents for the infor-  
 mation of H.E. your Minister at Peking  
 and the Minister of the Foreign Office  
 of your Honourable Country, that they may  
 deliberate and decide whether or not the  
 French blockade ought to be considered  
 raised, and to uphold public usage and  
 support the interests of commerce gener-  
 ally. Kindly act on the above and make re-  
 sponse. A necessary communication.

20th day, 11th month, 10th year of Kuang  
 Hsu.

**CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.**

AT 4 P.M.—FEBRUARY 11.

Station.	Barometrical Pressure at Sea Level and 5 Ft. Fath.	Temperature.	Humidity.	Wind.		Weather.	Rain falling within 24 hrs.
				Direction.	Force.		
Bolnaso ..	29.89	82	968	W	3	c	—
Manila ..	29.89	82	968	W	3	c	—
Haiphong ..	30.00	64	408	E	1	c	—
Hongkong ..	30.01	57	288	E	5	c	—
Amoy ..	30.07	54	08	E	4	o f	—
Swatow ..	30.32	30	064	SW	4	o f	—
Shanghai ..	30.14	45	64	SW	4	o f	—
Nagasaki ..	30.27	62	—	N	3	b	—
Wtsookoo ..	30.27	62	—	N	3	b	—

AT 10 A.M.—FEBRUARY 12.

Bolnaso ..	30.01	78	301	W	1	c	—
Manila ..	30.01	78	301	W	1	c	—
Haiphong ..	30.19	60	739	S	1	o f	0.04
Hongkong ..	30.16	56	739	SE	7	o f	0.06
Amoy ..	30.22	54	08	SE	4	o f	—
Swatow ..	30.42	37	08	SE	2	c	—
Shanghai ..	30.14	47	081	N	3	c	—
Nagasaki ..	30.34	62	—	N	3	c	—
Wtsookoo ..	30.36	48	—	NE	4	b	—

The barometer has risen in the north.  
 Gradients indicate fresh or strong winds.

W. DOBSONCK.

Government Astronomer,  
Helsingfors Observatory, February 12.

1. **BAROMETRE**, reduced to 53 degrees Fahrenheit, and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.
2. **TEMPERATURE**, in the shade in degrees and tenths, Fahrenheit.
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## THE FRENCH IN FORMOSA.

Though they have established a blockade against all the inhabitants and soldiers in Formosa, and are making in quiet as usual, and are acting in a friendly manner towards the Chinese, no blockade at all. Let it be asked, on what grounds are the French blockading this island? They certainly cannot conceal their (unlawful) aim from the sight and ears of the world, and that they wish to injure the interests of the merchants of the various nations. Since, according to International Law, such a blockade should be considered as a violation of the rights of the nations, they may not be allowed to carry on their trade. Undoubtedly it is plainly proclaimed to all, unless it is feared that merchant ships of the other nations will be seized and plundered. They may still imagine that there is a blockade and hesitate to sail in the seas (about this island), whereby the merchants of the Treaty Powers having a commerce with China will be injured and their gains. The French blockade is, by no means injurious to the Chinese Government, in its warlike operations, but is greatly

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the capacities of the Chinese nation

remained high; to the left of the Pavement were temporary erections in the shape of requis for the accommodation of officers and civil officials, while on the right of the private tent of the officer of the Lifeguards, and a platform, in front of the tower, which contained the Band (musical instruments) also served as signal stand for the commanding officer. I may here add that, with the exception of the three Lifeguard companies, which were led by verbal commands from their respective Colonels, the remainder of the corps followed the flag-signals and the afore-mentioned tower.

At daylight at six o'clock showed a beautiful picture to the lover of a gay and brilliant colour. The nine regiment

which, although very picturesque, got rather monotonous after a while, as it most

members, as the general war, of the same kind, they follow, as slippery as ice. At their next parade, I hear, they are expected to go through the revised German drill in which they are now receiving instruction, the same having been slightly curtailed and adapted to Chinese requirements and tactics, etc.

An assault-of-arms was the next number on the programme, at which I witnessed some extraordinary skill and agility on the part of the different men with their 18 feet lances, their halberds, pikes, swords, crises, etc. lances, shields, etc. In fact the scenes reminded me very forcibly of a Continental circus performance. I saw a few years ago, the athletes at that time being Africans.

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The barometer has risen in the north. Gradients indicate fresh or strong winds.

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1. **BAROMETRICAL**, reduced to 53 degrees Fahrenheit, and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.

2. **TEMPERATURE**, in the shade in degrees, and tenths, Fahrenheit.

3. **HUMIDITY**, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air surrounded with moisture being 100.

4. **DIRECTION OF WIND**, to two points.

5. **FORCE OF WIND**, according to Beaufort's Scale.

6. **STATE OF WEATHER**, & blue sky, & detached clouds, & drizzling rain, & fog, & gloomy, & hail, & lightning, & overcast, & raining showers, & squally, & rain, & snow, & thunder, & visibility, & dew (wet).

7. **RAINFALL**, in inches, tenths and hundredths.



